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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: CHEE, *et al.*)
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed May 2, 2000. This response follows the filing of a CPA on November 1, 2000 which was timely filed with a petition for a three month extension and requisite fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(3).

No fees are believed due, however, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees, including extension fees or other relief which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No.06-1300 (Our Order No. A-66828-1/DJB/RMS/DCF).

AMENDMENTS